

By GEORGE E. SOKOLSKY

For five years, a staff of Brookings Institute economists has been studying data with the purpose of objectively determining the nature of business in our competitive economy. How big is really big in industry and what is its effect on our society?

The importance of the subject is that our system of life—political, economic and social—is dependent upon freedom in the marketplace, which means competition. If bigness destroys competition, then it will produce a monopolistic and therefore a static economy. Such an economy must eventually in socialism; that is, in the government ownership of the means of production, distribution and exchange. Socialism paves the way for a totalitarian dictatorship.

If bigness destroys competition, it is, from the standpoint of our society, evil. The object of the Brookings Institution team, headed by A. D. H. Kaplan, has been to analyze the material with a view to determining this one fact. Alfred P. Sloan Jr., and E. T. Weir, as sponsors of the study, gave a dinner the other night for a number of businessmen, economists, journalists, with the object of giving them a preliminary view of the data and some conclusions reached therefrom. The full report is not yet available.

In certain industries, the capital outlay is so enormous that a small enterpriser cannot possibly enter them. General Motors, for instance, put \$300,000,000 into changing its line for the 1933 models. No small enterpriser could do that. Ford, Chrysler and the smaller automobile manufacturers will meet this effort competitively. Yet, the small automobile manufacturer is a big business.

It is interesting to note that the sponsors of this study in bigness are Alfred Sloan, who represents the largest manufacturing unit in American industry, and E. T. Weir, who represents the most competitive unit in the steel industry, National Steel, which, organized as recently as 1923, has moved up into fifth place in this most difficult of all industries, steel.

The essence of this preliminary report, it would seem to me, is that running through the data from 1929 to 1948, the large corporations represented a declining share of the national income, while those of the medium-sized and small corporations increased. These overall data, therefore, do not offer any evidence that the large corporations are pre-empting the income opportunities of the smaller ones.

In a word, the system remains competitive. An analysis of the 100 largest corporations for the year 1909, 1919, 1935 and 1948 shows a constant state of flux: Of the 100 that started in 1909, only 36 remained in the led in 1948; of these only 31 appeared in every chart. The listing of the 100 top companies do not, therefore, show the same names at the top.

New ones came into the picture, entire new industries, as for instance, motion pictures or electronics appear in the marketplace and some of them move rapidly to the top. Chemicals loom large in 1948, but were comparatively small in 1909. Petroleum, which was in fifth place in 1909, is in first place in 1948. Steel, which was in first place in 1909, is in third place in 1948.

No matter how much the economy expands, it never becomes fixed. American life thus far has avoided the disease that has been so destructive in Europe, namely, a static economy, a stratified society an opportunityless proletariat.

Yet, we cannot be too sure of ourselves. The social menace remains the proletarianization of large segments of our population, with the reduction of a salaried middle class to a dependent proletariat. The Brookings study therefore will remain incomplete and possibly inconclusive until it shows the relationship of bigness to the social problem of the development of a proletariat.

I was sitting next to Slava Dubrul at this dinner and we got to talking about this problem. Dubrul, whom I have for 20 years regarded as the intellectual of the General Motors empire, insists that high wages are upsetting the Marxian thesis; that actually, high wages are moving the worker into the middle class; that such workers and their wives are developing a middle-class environment and middle-class habits. In a word, the proletariat should disappear in the United States. The workers are bourgeois, without bringing the middle class down.

It would be interesting if the Brookings study were completed by data on that subject and if this thesis can be proved.

Contrary to the legend of British fortune in war, Britain lost the last battles as well as the campaign. Both the American Revolution and the War of 1812.

# Hope Star

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## Russian Planes Intercepted Over Japan

### One Damaged in Brief Skirmish With U. S. Jets

TOKYO, (UP) — U. S. Air Force Thunderjets fired on two Russian-made fighter planes over North Japan today, damaged one and sent both fighters fleeing back toward Soviet-held territory.

The Air Force presumed the planes were units of the Russian Air Force. They came from Russian territory and fled toward it. But lacking positive proof, Far Eastern Air Forces Commander Gen. O. P. Weyland said, he could not identify them officially as Russian.

Two Thunderjets on patrol were guided to two unidentified planes over Japan's northernmost Hokkaido Island by radar.

The Japanese government had warned the Russians Jan. 13 that henceforth the U. S. Air Force, in its behalf, would fire on any invading Soviet Air Force planes.

The Thunderjets intercepted and closed in on the two invading planes — Russian-made Lavochkin-11 single-engine propeller-driven fighters in the 400-mile-an-hour plus class.

"Pursuant to standing instructions, our interceptor planes sign-

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## Naturally, Lion Rejects Proposal

LITTLE ROCK, (AP) — An official of Lion Oil Co., today rejected a suggestion that his concern should localize its business in an effort to lower prices charged for gasoline.

A. F. Reed, Lion executive vice president, testified again in a House committee investigation of alleged discrimination in gasoline prices in Arkansas as compared to those in nearby states.

Rep. Dan White of Sebastian County, a member of the committee, asked Reed, "couldn't you lower prices by concentrating on the El Dorado area around your refinery and selling cheaper there where your company is the most powerful one?"

"Would you?" Reed countered. "If we were to cut prices other companies operating in the area would meet them and all we would do would be to reduce our own volume of sales and our margin of profit."

Lion's attorney Jeff Davis of El Dorado, injected "and aren't you aware that it is a violation of Arkansas criminal statutes to reduce prices in one locality for the purpose of putting a competitor out of business?"

MEETING SET

CLARKSVILLE, (AP) — The 37th annual meeting of the Arkansas Academy of Science will be held at the College of the Ozarks here, April 24 and 25.

Wombats are bearlike in gait and structure, but they are small animals living in Australia and are marsupials.

## Americans Don't Want to Ride the Tide to Old Aged Pensions, They Want to Be Capitalists

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) — Many an American has still stubbornly clings to an old-fashioned goal.

Instead of riding with the tide until he reaches an old age pension he wants to grow up and become a capitalist.

But how to do it?

## 3 Soviet Planes Downed in 200 Bomber Raid

SEOUL, (AP) — U. S. Sabre jets today shot down three Russian-built MIGs, probably destroyed another and damaged seven while screening a massive air raid on a big Communist troop and supply buildup area.

The U. S. Fifth Air Force reported the Communist jet fighter losses after announcing earlier that 200 Allied fighter-bombers had turned the supply area southwest of Pyongyang into a boiling mass of smoke and flames.

It was the second straight day of jet dog fights in far northwest Korea.

The Sabres, outnumbered 45 to 22, shot down two MIGs Sunday, probably destroyed a third and damaged four. They were shielding Allied fighter-bombers which knocked out two generators at the big Suho hydroelectric plant on the Yalu River boundary of Manchuria.

More than 500 Air Force, Marine and U. S. carrier planes turned the giant Suho plant—the world's fourth largest—into a pile of junk last June 23, but the Communists evidently had rebuilt it.

Today's target for the big Allied air strike was Kyomjin, about 20 miles southwest of the Korean capital of Pyongyang.

Participating in the stepped-up air blows were Marine Capt. Ted Williams, famed former Boston Red Sox slugger, and Air Force Maj. James Jabara, America's first jet ace, who is flying his second combat tour in Korea.

## Dust Dwindles on Arrival in Arkansas

DENVER, (AP) — Winds up to 80 miles an hour yesterday scoured up black blizzards similar to the Dust Bowl blows of the 1930s in parts of Nebraska, Kansas and Colorado.

They swirled dust 12,000 to 13,000 feet high in Western Kansas, smashed windows and pushed over trees in Western Nebraska and tore down telephone and power lines and puffed up snow banks in

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## W. L. Foster, 38, Succumbs at Spring Hill

William Lee Foster, aged 38, died Sunday at the home of a sister, Mrs. Ervin Sinyard of Spring Hill.

Other survivors include his father, William C. Foster, one son, Wallace of Texarkana, two brothers, Harvey and Benson Foster of Hope.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Monday at Spring Hill Methodist Church by the Rev. Claud Clark. Burial will be in Foster Cemetery.

## Local Soldier Is Promoted

CAMP GORDON, Georgia — Dean L. Steadman of 215 N. Elm St., Hope, Ark., recently was promoted to Sergeant First Class in Headquarters Company, Southeastern Signal School here.

He was one of the 723 enlisted men to receive promotions in January, the largest number since last April when the Army imposed a virtual promotion freeze. The Signal Corps Training Center is the largest installation of its type in the country.

## Band Concert All Set for Thursday

Thursday night, February 19, is the date set for the winter concert by the Hope High School Band in the high school auditorium.

A full hour of band music, played by the cream of Hope's young musicians and directed by G. T. Cannon, is in store for all that night.

The band of sixty five players has worked for weeks to bring to the public the best music they know in the best manner of which they are capable. Many hours of practice and rehearsal have been spent in preparation for this concert.

"I sincerely believe the high school band this year is the best Hope has ever had, and I hope a lot of people Thursday night will inspire the band to live up to my belief," Mr. Cannon said.

## Man Pronounced Dead Found Alive

NEW YORK (AP) — An 80-year-old man was found alive yesterday in an embalming room two hours after the family doctor had issued a death certificate.

William C. Brossman of Brooklyn was taken to a hospital, where he died early today, more than 14 hours after being pronounced dead.

The family physician, Dr. David Blumenfeld, had listed arteriosclerosis and senility on the death certificate.

Asst. Dist. Atty. George E. Regan quoted the doctor as saying he found no heart beat, pulse or any other indication of life when he twice examined the patient thoroughly late yesterday morning.

## Group Rejects Billion Request for Defense

WASHINGTON, (AP) — A Defense Department request for one billion 200 million dollars in new funds for the current year was rejected in full today by the House Appropriations Committee.

The committee said the department should use available funds to finance the programs for which the new money had been requested.

Most of the new money sought was for Army, navy and air force military pay, increases in which were voted by Congress since the last Defense Department budget was approved.

The request for additional funds came from former President Truman before he left office last month. In some cases, President Eisenhower revised the requests, but in others he made no changes.

The additional money asked was for use during the balance of the current fiscal year which ends June 30. The committee said no vital programs would be hurt if the extra money were taken from other funds available to the department.

## Judgement for \$46,000 Is Upheld

LITTLE ROCK, (AP) — Arkansas Supreme Court today affirmed a \$46,000 judgment awarded in a damage suit.

The judgment was given H.C. Merritt, identified only as a resident of Florida, in Crittenden County Circuit Court. Merritt received \$40,000 for serious personal injuries and \$6,000 for damages to his truck.

The Supreme Court appeal was taken by American Bus Lines, Inc. and Dacus Lumber Company against which the judgment was jointly entered.

The Supreme Court opinion said that Merritt was injured and his truck was demolished on Nov. 22, 1951, when it collided with a Dacus truck near Marion, Ark., on Highway 61.

The accident occurred the Court said, as the lumber truck driver, continued on Page Two

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Tickets are in the hands of band members and sell for twenty five and fifty cents. Anyone wanting tickets who has not been contacted may obtain them by calling the high school band office during the day. Proceeds from this concert will be used to help purchase awards for band letter winners.

## Hope Fades for 46 Victims of Plane Crash

NEW ORLEANS, (AP) — A fourth liferaft from the National Airlines DC-6 plane that plunged into the storm-tossed Gulf of Mexico with 46 persons aboard was found empty today "apparently ending all hope for survivors."

Three other liferafts—all empty—were found bubbling on the choppy waters yesterday by an armada of planes and ships that combed the waters.

The Coast Guard said the fourth raft was recovered "accounting for all of the rafts and apparently ending any hope for survivors."

The raft had never been inflated. Only a remote possibility was held by the Coast Guard that any survivors would be found aboard the fourth raft.

The Coast Guard said even if survivors had managed to get on

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## Oilmen Are Pleased With 'Producer'

McAlister Fuel Company, V. S. Parham and Milton Caw are "greatly encouraged" that the Wildcat, Clifford McDonald will make a producer.

In the drill stem test, 240 feet of oil was recovered. Location is 730.7 feet south 689.3 feet west of NE corner of the NW quarter of section 7-15-24, north of Lewisville and east of Midway field, 15 miles south of Hope. Depth tested is 6817 feet.

Another wildcat watched with interest is the L. A. Foster No. 1, drilling around 8000 feet by California Company, 1222 feet east and 1838 feet north of the SW corner of section 9-15-25, testing and casing toward the depth of 7,200 feet.

In Nevada county, J. B. War-mack has perforated between 2557 feet and 2571 feet at the Mae War-mack Unit B-1 and recovered a good show of oil when the test was squeezed and a good well is expected to result. Location is 800 feet west and 330 feet south of the center of section 9-14-22.

In Hempstead county California Company is reported to be 6108 feet at the Bodew Bank No. 3 in the center of the SW NE of section 33-14-23. Complete report is not available but the scheduled depth is 6700.

## Stevenson to Have Talk With Ike

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Adlai E. Stevenson told workers at Democratic headquarters today the party must take a "very positive" position while keeping an eye out for GOP mistakes.

The Democratic nominee in the 1952 presidential race said that basically direction of the party "will have to come from Congress."

Stevenson came to town yesterday for a little party fence mending, plus official calls. He received and accepted an invitation to lunch tomorrow with President Eisenhower.

Eisenhower also has invited about 20 Republican and Democratic Congress members to lunch. It is one of a series of get acquainted luncheons he has been having.

However, White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty told reporters Stevenson would spend a half hour with the President before the luncheon.

Asked the reason for Eisenhower's invitation to the man he defeated for the presidency last November, Hagerty replied:

"Why, he just wanted to have a little chat with him."

Stevenson is planning a world tour and, in that connection, arranged to pay visits this afternoon to the embassies of the Philippines, Indonesia, Japan and Korea.

## W.V. Tompkins Succumbs at Prescott

William Vernon Tompkins, aged 91, a practicing attorney for 70 years, died Sunday at the home of a granddaughter, Mrs. Carl Dalrymple at Prescott.

He was admitted to the bar in 1883 and moved to Prescott from Boughlon where he taught school. He was a law partner of the late W. M. Greenon the late Attorney General W. E. Atkinson and former Governor Thomas C. McFar-

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## Witness Flares Back at McCarthy

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.) today accused State Department officials of taking reprisals against witnesses in a Senate investigation. One of them flared back that McCarthy was destroying morale in the foreign service.

The angry exchange was between McCarthy and Samuel J. Boykin, acting director of the department's bureau of security. It capped an inquiry by McCarthy's Senate investigations subcommittee into how it happened that a State Department security agent was shifted to a new job soon after telling the senators that documents often disappear from the department's secret files.

John E. Matson, who said he was shifted to a "pavement pounding" job, testified he believed the only reason was that his superiors "felt possibly I might disclose the truth" about department files.

Matson was a witness Feb. 5 before the Senate subcommittee, and on that occasion testified that a report he had written on a suspected Communist in the foreign service disappeared mysteriously from the files. The man never was identified.

## Garland Students Have Valentine Program, Party

Garland School was a center of activity Friday afternoon in observance of Valentine Day.

A short Valentine program was presented on the campus. Ann Cole and David Watkins were crowned Queen and King of Hearts.

Others taking part on the program were: First grade: Candy Shivers, Ken-ny Light, Phil McElroy. Second grade: Mary Alice Caston, Vincent Foster, Carolyn Hall. Third grade: Penny Franks, Stuart Green, Bill Anderson. Fourth grade: Barbara Caston, Lewis Anderson, Leo Simms. Fifth grade: Bobby Cox, Sherry Hankins, Byron Spilley. Sixth grade: Ginger Wallace, Mike Dearth, Brenda Hamm, Billy Hahn, Elaine Thompson.

After the coronation, the children enjoyed parties and treats which were given to them by their Room Mothers.

## Rosenbergs to Die Week of March 9

NEW YORK, (AP) — Execution of atomic spies Julius and Ethel Rosenberg today was set for the week of March 9.

Federal Judge Irving R. Kaufman scheduled the new execution date for the husband and wife, whose appeal to the President for clemency has been rejected.

The couple was convicted nearly two years ago of conspiring to transmit atomic information to Russia. They have been in Sing Sing prison's Death House ever since.

U. S. Marshal William Carroll said the date of the execution may be March 12, and the hour at 10 p. m. (CST).

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## Oglesby Fund \$218, Not \$21 as Reported

Total collections in the Oglesby school contest were \$218, not as reported Saturday in the count of the school's victory party. The Star regrets the graphical error, and also wishes to explain that the report was so short because of the noon press-time which is in effect on Saturdays only.

While all bulletin matter is carried up to noon in the Saturday edition of the Star, we preclude the deformation of articles until publication Monday. The half-day holiday for newspaper employees on Saturday has been in effect for 24 years, and of course news content has to be cut at the noon press-time.

## Smittle Named Ass't Manager of Hatchery

Lloyd Smittle of Bodew Bank has been appointed Assistant Manager of the Hope Plant of Corn Belt Hatcheries. The announcement was made today by Freda Roy, General Manager of Corn Belt Hatcheries. Smittle has been employed in the Hope hatchery since 1951. Prior to that time, he was farming and driving a bus for the Patmos School. He was born in Columbia, Mo., where he attended school and graduated from the Columbia School.

Smittle has just completed two-week training course at Joliet, Illinois headquarters of Corn Belt Hatcheries. While in school, he studied practical poultry management, poultry diseases, breeding, selection and poultry raising. He received actual training in field under the supervision of experienced Corn Belt Hatchery personnel.

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# SOCIETY

Phone 7-3431 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

## Calendar

**Monday, February 16**  
American Legion Auxiliary will meet on Monday, February 16, at 7:30 with Mrs. Dale Wilson. Mrs. Clyde Coffee will be co-hostess.

**Tuesday, February 17**  
The Friendship Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church will meet for their monthly social meeting Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. I. Stroud, 518 South Bonner. There will be a guest speaker.

The VFW Auxiliary will meet Tuesday night, February 17, at 7:30 at the Hut. Mrs. Ed Aslin and Mrs. Margaret McMahon will be hostesses.

All interested persons interested in learning how to square dance are asked to meet Tuesday night, February 17, at 7:30 at the Youth Center, Jim Brower of Texarkana, national champion caller, will give lessons.

Popular Grove 196 WOW Circle will hold regular social meeting Tuesday, February 17, at 7 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Jack White. Members are urged to attend and bring a Valentine card.

**Wednesday, February 18**  
The Wisteria Garden Club will have their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Vic Cobb Wednesday, February 18, at 2 p.m. with Mrs. H. C. Hall as co-hostess.

The Gardenia Garden Club will be the hostess to the City Federation of Hope Garden Clubs at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, February 18, at the home of Mrs. C. C. Lewis.

The Lilac Garden Club will meet Wednesday at "Lakeview," Whitworth's cabin at Narrows Lake, for a luncheon at 12:30. Mrs. Lloyd Kinard will be co-hostess.

**Thursday, February 19**  
The Fulton Rose Garden Club will meet Thursday, February 19, at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. T. J. Logan with Mrs. T. H. Seymour and Miss Ina Logan as co-hostesses.

The Daffodil Garden Club will meet Thursday, February 19, at the home of H. W. Hatcher, 309 East 2nd, at 2 o'clock. Hostesses will be Mrs. Milton Dillard and Mrs. Carl Jones.

**Friday, February 20**  
World Day of Prayer Service will be held in the First Christian Church Friday afternoon, February 20, at 3 o'clock. This observance is an annual program with local women taking part on the program.

The Dahlia Garden Club will meet Friday, February 20, at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Ben Owen with Mrs. Ray Luck as co-hostess.

The Josephine Seaggs Circle of the Woman's Missionary Society of

the First Baptist Church will meet in the home of Mrs. Herman Robinson Friday, February 20, at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Hervey Holt will continue the mission study on "The West is Big."

**Bride-Elect Feted With Breakfast**  
Misses Caroline Hawthorne and Catherine Cox feted Miss Adolphine Andrews, bride-elect of Lt. Howard Cobb, with a breakfast Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at the Barlow Hotel.

The artistic table arrangement was of red carnations and white candytuft.

A corsage of red carnations and white candytuft and a gift of china in her chosen pattern were presented to the honoree.

Other guests were: Mrs. J. M. Andrews, Mrs. Herbert Cox, Mrs. Harry Hawthorne, Mrs. F. M. Gregg, Dallas, Texas, Mrs. E. J. Hartsfield, Smyrna, Tenn., Miss Laura Faust, Fayetteville, Mrs. Lawrence Albritton, and Miss Barbara LaGrone.

**Theo Burns Honored on 61st Birthday**  
Lorraine Blackwood honored her father, Theo Burns, on his 61st birthday with a surprise dinner Sunday, February 15, at his home, 707 South Elm.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Burns, Fort Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burns, Barbara and Fred Clay of Danville, Mr. and Mrs. Buell Burns, Judy and Edwin of Little Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Burns, Mrs. Ike Emory, Mr. Frank Burns, Yellville, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jackson and Scotty of Hot Springs.

**Miss Adolphine Andrews Has Church Ceremony**  
Miss Elizabeth Adolphine Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McRae Andrews, became the bride of Lt. Howard Cobb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cobb of Agana, Guam, in an impressive Episcopal wedding ceremony at St. Mark's Saturday afternoon, February 14, at 3 o'clock.

Charles T. Chambers, Jr., rector of St. Mark's, officiated at the double ring service.

Against a background of jade and emerald leaves, pedestal baskets of calla lilies with calla lily foliage and seven-branched candelabra holding glowing white candles decorated the chancel of the church.

Mrs. B. C. Hyatt, organist, presented a program of nuptial music and accompanied Mrs. Carroll Wheeler of Texarkana, cousin of the bride, who sang "On Perfect Love" and a wedding hymn.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white velvet dress with a white imported strapless dress of white imported lace. The redingote, fashioned with a face framing collar and deep cuffs on the elbow length sleeves, swept into a train. Her finger tip veil of illusion fell from a helmet type headress of white velvet scattered with pearls. She wore white lace mitts and white satin slippers. She carried an arm bouquet of calla lilies and ribbons. Her only ornament was a single strand of pearls, gift of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Frank Gregg, Dallas, Texas, was her sister's matron of honor. She chose a full length dress of ice blue tissue shantung silk with an off the shoulder fichu effect. The full skirt was of unpressed pleats with a large bustle effect sash. Her wreath shaped hat was of the same silk as her dress with three yellow tulip buds at one side. She carried a sheath of yellow tulips.

Sam Segnar of Lake Charles, La., served Lt. Cobb as best man. Ushers were Frank Gregg of Dallas, Texas, Ted Jones and Lawrence Albritton of Arkadelphia, and James West of Little Rock.

The bride's mother chose a two-piece dress of navy faille with a yellow rose bud corsage. Her hat was of navy with a rhinestone trimmed veil.

A reception in the main dining room of the Hotel Barlow immediately followed the wedding. Covered with a floor length cloth of

white organdy with lace inserts, the bride's table held as its centerpiece a three-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom. Maidenhair fern and calla lilies encircled the cake and marked the corners of the table. Tall white candles glowing in silver candelabra also adorned the table.

Mrs. John Thorpe Williams of Little Rock and Mrs. Frank Hawthorne served the cake. Presiding at the punch bowl which was placed on a side table were Mrs. Lawrence Albritton and Miss Caroline Hawthorne.

Misses Alice Lile and Barbara LaGrone were in charge of the bride's book.

Others extending courtesies were: Mrs. A. D. Brannan, Miss Beryl Henry, Mrs. Robert LaGrone, Mrs. Young Foster, Mrs. Kendall Lemley, Mrs. Clyde Hill, Mrs. John C. Hill of Little Rock, Mrs. F. M. Gregg of Clarksdale, Miss, Mrs. C. D. Lester, Mrs. Ched Hall, Mrs. W. E. White, Mrs. W. E. White, Jr., of Texarkana, Misses Catherine Cox, Jo Ann Barham, Jan Dilday, Margie Zieglin, Patricia Leidler, June Dalton, Laura Faust, Martha Dalhoff, Carolyn Sunderson, Margaret Johnson, Betty Jo Nunn, and Dorothy Lovelless of Fayetteville.

Each member of the houseparty wore a corsage of yellow carnations and acacia.

Following the reception the couple left on a wedding trip to Biloxi, Miss. and New Orleans, La. They will be at home at Camp Polk, La., after February 28.

For travel, Miss Cobb wore a grey wool suit with a pink blouse. Her hat was of grey with a pearl trim. She wore pink and black necessities. A pink camellia corsage was pinned at her shoulder.

Among the out of town guests other than those of the wedding party and houseparty were Mrs. E. J. Hartsfield, Smyrna, Tenn., Mrs. John Winham, Miss Wendell Winham, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. White, Jr., Carroll Wheeler, Texarkana, John Williams, John C. Hill, Little Rock, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Gregg, Sr., of Clarksdale, Miss., Mrs. Herbert Cox, Mrs. J. J. Battle, Fulton, Mrs. Charles T. Chambers, Magnolia, Mrs. J. C. Dilday, Lt. and Mrs. E. E. Winner, Mrs. W. H. Odor, and Lt. Lamar F. Peyton, Camp Polk, La.

## Coming and Going

Pvt. L. K. Haltom will leave tomorrow for Ft. Louis, Washington, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Haltom of Spring Hill.

## College Notes

Kathleen Walker of Hope, a sophomore elementary education major and a member of Caramica social club for women, is currently enrolled for the spring semester at East Texas State Teachers College, Commerce, Texas.

## Personal Mention

Mrs. Jesse Samuels is a patient at St. Michael's hospital, Texarkana, where she underwent surgery.

## Hospital Notes

**Julia Chester**  
Admitted: Mr. William Haywood of Fulton, Mrs. Nellie Leverett, Hope, Mrs. Herman C. Tice, Hope, Mrs. Amanda Rogers, Hope, Mrs. B. M. Phillips, Ore City, Texas.

Discharged: Miss Helen T. Hammons, Hope, Mrs. Mary May of Rosston, Mrs. L. C. Dick, Hope, Rt. 2, Mrs. James Langhard, Hope, Mrs. Lilly Rogers, Patmos, Mrs. Herman C. Tice, Hope.

**Branch**  
Admitted: Miss Sharon Foster, Hope, Mrs. Roy Smith, Rt. 1, Hope, Mrs. Jack Beatty, Hope.

Discharged: Mr. Paul McClellan of Patmos, Mrs. O. McQuinn of Hope.

## Clubs

**Hinton**  
Mrs. Noel Warren, health leader gave an interesting illustrated talk on What Parents & Teachers See, when the Hinton HD club met on Monday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. W. B. Jones, Patmos. A demonstration on making hooked and braided rugs was given by Lorraine Blackwood, HD Agent. Mrs. Blackwood also showed a series of colored slides "Recipe for Color" showing how any room can be made more inviting and livable by the use of color.

Mrs. Stella Adams welcomed Mrs. Lester Kent, Mrs. G. L. Elledge, Mrs. Horace Elledge, Mrs. J. E. McWilliams and Mrs. Oscar Rider as new members into the club.

The surprise package was won by Mrs. Warren. Mrs. Lester Kent won the game prize. Refreshments were served after which the club adjourned to meet March 9, with Mrs. Oscar Rider.

**Victory**  
A demonstration on making rugs was given by Mrs. Dalton Smith when the Victory Home Demonstration club met February 4 at the home of Mrs. Jimmie Miller.

Mrs. Wm. Schooley, president, presided during the business meeting. A letter from Mrs. Ruth Beal, Superintendent of the Arkansas Crippled Children's Home, Little Rock, thanking the home demonstration club members for the pillow cases, sheets and wash cloths was read. The club decided to make surgical gowns during the month to be sent to the Children's Home at the March meeting. Each member is to send at least one surgical gown to the Children's Home during the month.



HER NAME SPELLS "MONEY"—Mrs. Ivy Baker Priest, above, exhibits the facsimile of her signature, which will appear on all new American currency, now that she is Treasurer of the U. S.

## DOROTHY DIX

### Hasty 2d Marriage

Dear Miss Dix: My first marriage was broken after a silly argument between us. We were deeply in love, but both were stubborn. I left him, taking our baby. I was an orphan, and had no trade so things weren't very easy for me. We were divorced, and a year later I met a man who loved me, and asked me to marry him. I knew I didn't love him, but he offered so much in security and companionship that I accepted him. I know it was a poor excuse. Then Tim, my first husband, located us and made arrangements to see his daughter once a week. Naturally, I saw him, too, and it didn't take long for me to realize that

all the love I ever had for him still existed. He feels the same about me.

My second marriage has never been a success. My husband is a fine man, but I don't love him. What shall I do?

**Be Sure Before Acting**  
Answer: First of all you must be sure in your own heart and mind just what you want. It's possible that you have a tendency to yearn for whatever it is you don't have—in other words, the grass on the other side of the street looks greener to you. If you are truly convinced that you and your first husband are still in love, and that you can establish a happy home for your child, I think you should discuss the matter of divorce with your present mate. Your daughter would probably be happier with her own father, though your husband certainly has been most kind to her. It would be tragic, indeed, if you went ahead with a divorce, and remarriage only to find that you and Tim were incompatible after all. If you go ahead with these plans, be determined to do everything you can to make your marriage a success. Up to now, it seems that you haven't contributed too much cooperation to either home. You must learn to keep stubbornness in its proper place, and to give as well as take. Every young couple has its quota of foolish arguments, but few of them, thank heaven, lead to divorce.

Your second husband is going to be the one most hurt in this deal, and I hope you know what you're doing when you decide to leave him.

Talk the matter over with someone who knows all three of you—or at least you and Tim. A clergyman, family doctor or a lawyer will be able to give you the best advice.

Dear Miss Dix: I have been married just a few years and have one child. I have always been a home girl, and don't like to go out unless it's with my husband and child. Naturally, we can't go out too much with the baby, as we always have to have him home early. I don't like the idea of leaving him with a stranger. My husband enjoys going out; he belongs to clubs, the American Legion etc. Of course, he has to go to most affairs alone, and when he comes home late I am disagreeable and start an argument about it. He wants to stay with the baby so I can go out once in a while, but I don't enjoy myself unless they are both with me.

**DeRoan**  
Mrs. Lorraine Blackwood met with the DeRoan Home Demonstration club February 9 at the home of Mrs. Buck Rogers, 501 East 5th, and showed a film on "Home Decoration."

The meeting was opened by the members repeating the American Creed. Mrs. Rogers, president read the devotion followed by the Lord's Prayer. The roll call was answered and the minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. Herman Lester.

Mrs. Blackwood, assisted by Mrs. Ernest Ridgill, gave a demonstration on braided rugs. Mrs. Sam Betts gave a short talk on health. The surprise package was won by Mrs. J. D. Walker.

Refreshments were served to 13 members, Mrs. Blackwood, and a guest, Mrs. Herbert Arnold. The next meeting will be held March 9 at the home of Mrs. Theo Burns, 707 South Elm, with Mrs. Sam Roach and Hazel Arnett as hostesses.

**Hopewell**  
The Hopewell HDC met with Mrs. Ned Purdie Thursday night, February 12. Fourteen members and 2 visitors saw interesting color slides prepared by "Successful Farming" magazine.

Some rooms shown were decorated with colors to give warmth while others showed the use of cool colors. Mrs. Blackwood discussed each slide as she showed it.

Mrs. E. W. Graham, Health leader, had charge of the general program and presented in an effective manner things for Parents and Teachers to look for as early danger signals of children's diseases. The roll call brought much merriment as each answered by telling her most embarrassing experience.

Dear Miss Dix: I am 16 and have been going with a boy three years older. We've been dating for two years, but at that time he will have two more years in service and I am afraid he will find other girls while he is away. Should I marry him in two years or wait until he is out of service?

**Answer:** At 16 you have lots of time ahead of you and I wouldn't worry now about what might happen in the distant future. Two years is distant at your age. There is no reason why you should distrust the boy if you love him. Have him home with you and see how you feel.

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## Famed Alaska Volcano Erupts

KODIAK, Alaska (U)—Famed Mt. Katmai on the Alaska Peninsula, quiet for 41 years, blew its celebrated top late yesterday in a major eruption that sent a column of smoke towering 30,000 feet into the air and started filling nearby valleys with ash.

There was no immediate word whether any villages in the primitive and sparsely populated area were threatened.

Military fliers who flew near the 7,200-foot volcano said it still was belching fire and smoke last night.

Katmai's last big rampage in 1912 covered Kodiak Island, 110 miles to the southeast, with two feet of ash and deposited 800 feet of ashes in the Valley of 10,000 Smokes close by. The towns of Katmai on the peninsula, and Kodiak had to be evacuated.

But Kodiak residents were reassured last night by frequent bulletins from the Navy that there was no danger from the new eruption. The Kodiak civil defense organization was alerted, however, for possible emergency duty.

## Arkansas Boy Was Aboard Crashed Plane

OSCEOLA, Mo. — A 17-year-old Arkansas high school youth, Sherrod Seagraves, was listed as one of 46 persons aboard the National Airlines DC-6 that crashed in the Gulf of Mexico Saturday night.

Seagraves, president of the Osceola High School student council, was returning here from Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., where he had been vacationing with his mother Mrs. S. E. Seagraves, and his brother, Taylor.

The downed plane was sighted about 90 miles from Mobile in the Gulf of Mexico yesterday. The Coast Guard said last night there is an "outside chance" of survivors.

Seagraves a member of the National Honor Society, was scheduled to return to school today. His mother and brother remained in

Minn., by midnight and readings below zero were common along the northern Great Lakes and plains regions.

Winds up to 64 miles per hour were recorded at Denver, Colo., and National Ski Jumping Championship competition at Steamboat Springs, Colo., was ended of yesterday because of the dangerous winds.

Florida when he boarded the Fairport services were held in a local church yesterday for the safety of the youth. While his heart was prostrated with grief, Jean Driver Kandick, a school senior, waited in vain at Memphis airport for arrival of the huge transport. She was under a physician's care today after hearing the news that Seagraves was aboard the flight missing over the Gulf.

## Cherry Praises Stabilization Bill

LITTLE ROCK (U)—Gov. Cherry today called his proposed revenue stabilization bill "one of the most progressive steps ever taken by the state in public education."

The measure would, among other things, give an additional \$1 million dollars to public schools.

Cherry's proposal was introduced in both houses Friday. He said it is "extremely well planned" and the reception the measure receives throughout the state. The governor added he had received about 100 phone calls—all of them in favor of the bill.

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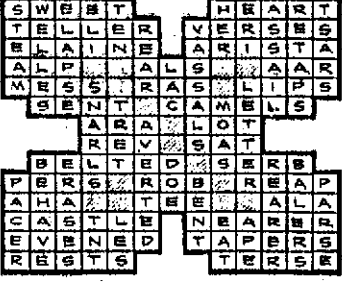
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Winter Woes

- HORIZONTAL**
- 1 This has to be shovelled
  - 5 "Button up your over..."
  - 9 "Don't slip on the..."
  - 12 Ripped
  - 13 Italian river
  - 14 Woody fruit
  - 15 Effluence
  - 17 Beverage
  - 18 Repairs
  - 19 Unity
  - 21 Part of a window
  - 23 Courtesy title
  - 24 Split pulse
  - 27 What snow often gets seasons
  - 29 Fresh-water duck
  - 32 Biochemical protein
  - 34 Soviet city
  - 36 Hate
  - 37 Classified
  - 38 Individuals
  - 39 Watch your on ice
  - 41 Speak
  - 42 Rights (ab.)
  - 44 Dry
  - 46 Resilient
  - 49 Place between heaven and hell
  - 53 President Coolidge
  - 54 Unsigned
  - 56 Feel ill
  - 57 Winter hoarfrost
  - 58 Sea eagles
  - 59 Remorse
  - 60 Pierce
  - 61 Caterpillar hair
- VERTICAL**
- 2 It's really cold in...
  - 3 Alaska
  - 4 Pursues one's way
  - 5 Feline
  - 6 Bird
  - 7 Soon
  - 8 Musical sounds
  - 9 Attracts attention
  - 10 Hints
  - 11 Greek letters
  - 10 Whispers
  - 20 Saltwater
  - 22 Fasting seasons
  - 24 Pedestal part
  - 25 Prayer ending
  - 26 Word by word
  - 28 One who strikes
  - 30 Bewildered
  - 31 Refined
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  - 31 Refined
  - 43 Heavenly bodies
  - 45 Silver coins
  - 46 Habitat plant form
  - 47 Den
  - 48 Initial (ab.)
  - 50 Greater
  - 51 Short hit (baseball)
  - 52 Greek mountain
  - 55 Bird's beak

Answer to Previous Puzzle



OUT OUR WAY

By J. K. Williams



VIC FLINT

By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Kahn



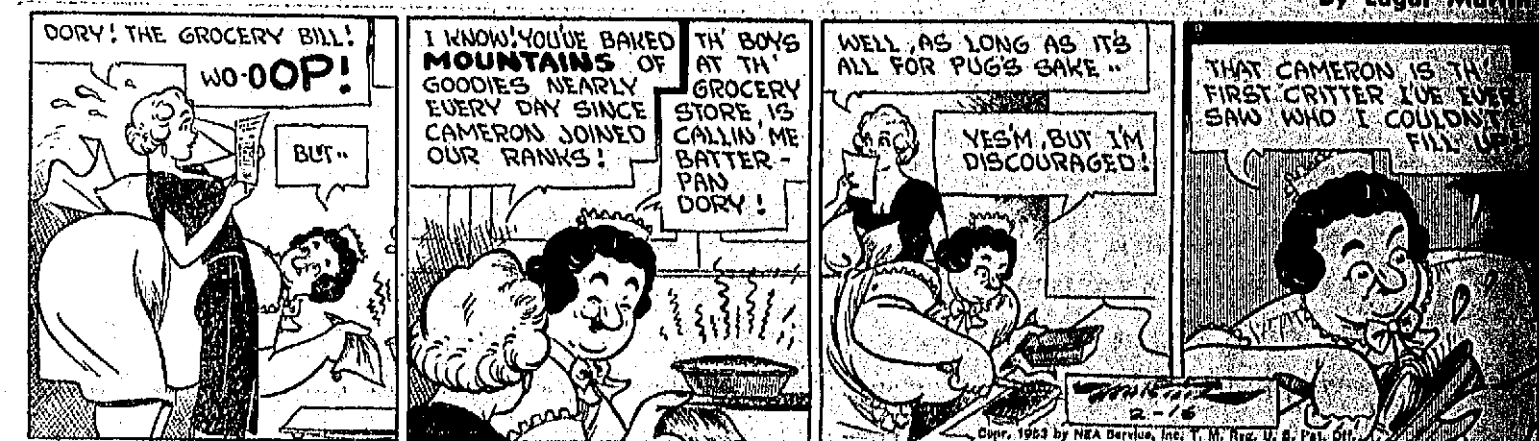
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By Leslie Turner

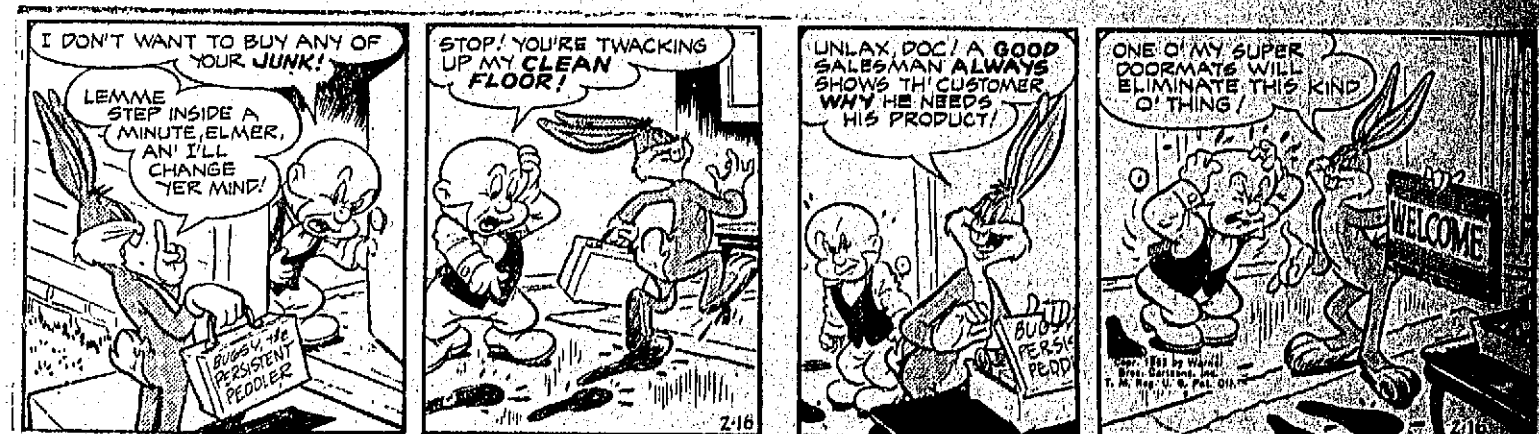


ROOTS AND HER BUDDIES

By Edgar Morris



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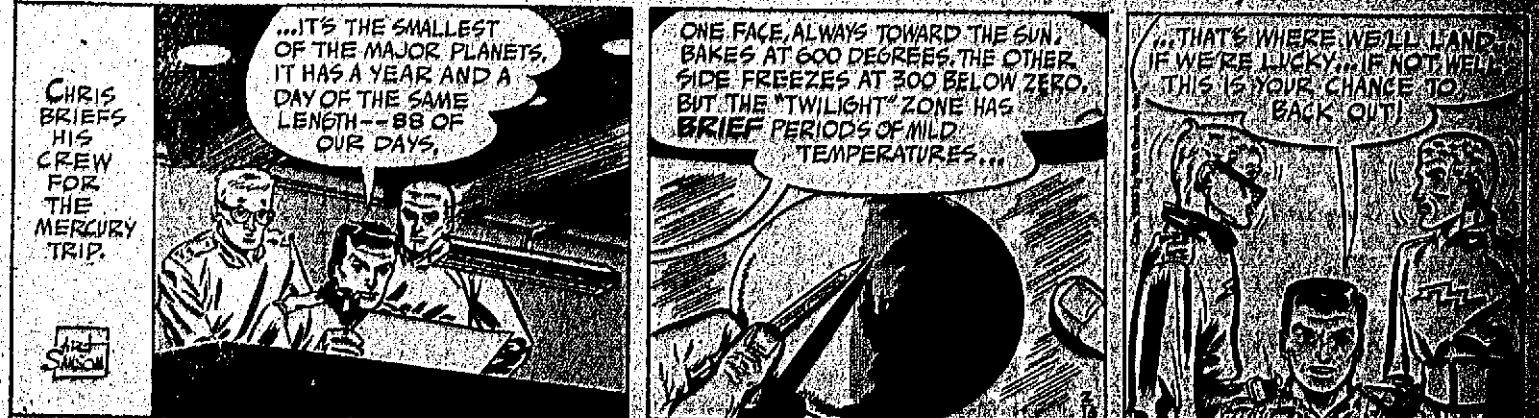
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CHRIS WELKIN, Planeteer

By Russ Winterbottom



HENRY

By Carl Anderson



CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



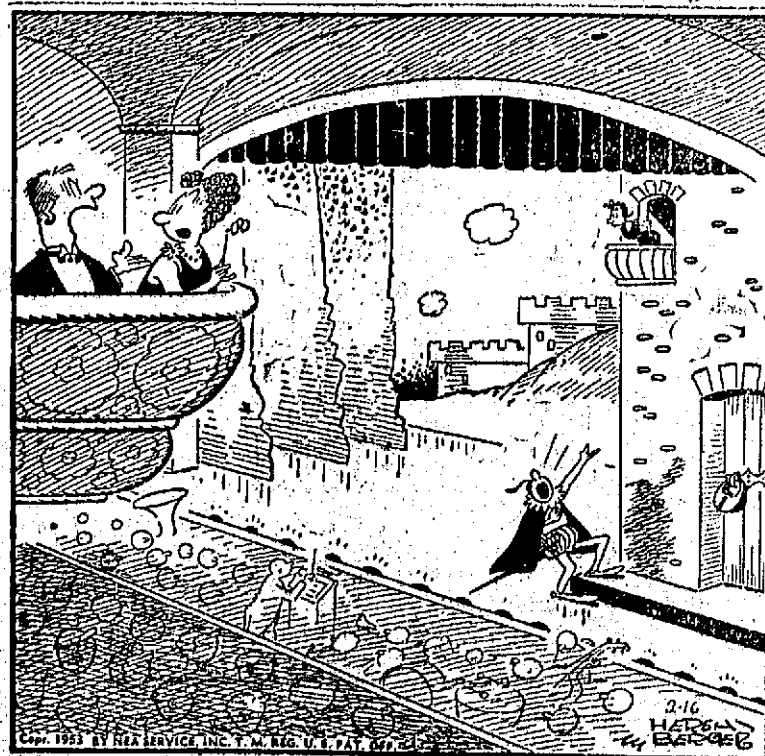
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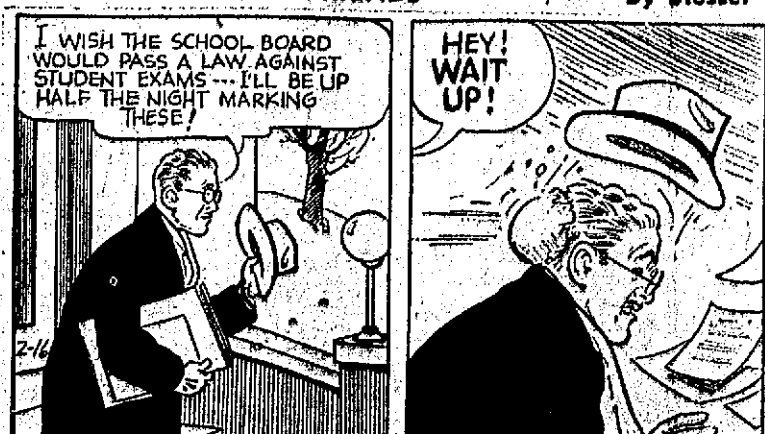
FUNNY BUSINESS

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser



TEEN TIPS





# PRESCOTT NEWS

Tuesday, February 17

The Prescott Garden Club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. J. H. Wilson with Mrs. Sewell Munn and Mrs. J. D. Stripling assisting hostesses.

Wednesday, February 18

The monthly dinner meeting of the Men's Fellowship of the Presbyterian Church will be held Wednesday evening at the church. An interesting program is being arranged.

flood of cars and buses.

Goldie raced halfway around the block-sized auditorium and re-entered at another open door. Her section of the corridor was blocked off by a partitioning door slammed by an alert attendant.

Elizabeth, befuddled by the roar of civilization, retreated back into the corridor and hid in a soft-drinks store.

Anthony and his crew arrived on the run and shoved cages in front of the lions. It took little urging to entice both back behind bars.

## NOTICE

The Prescott Band Mothers Club will meet on Monday evening, tonight, in place of Tuesday evening, at the City Hall at 7:30 o'clock.

## Jr. Music Club Presents Coterie Program

The Prescott Musical Coterie met on Wednesday afternoon in the Melba Memorial Room at the Presbyterian Church with Mrs. Tommy Grayson and Mrs. W. P. Cummings co-hostesses.

The president, Mrs. L. J. Bryan, presided and the meeting was opened with the club collect and the Federation hymn.

Mrs. Grayson, sponsor for the Tchaikovsky Merry Go Round Junior Music Club, spoke on the work of the Junior club and introduced Patsy Lynch who presented the following program by its members: A piano solo, "A Waltz Reverie" played by Patricia Halloway; a piano duet, "Allegretto," played by Linda Gail Brayer and Patricia Halloway; "The Theme from Liebestraume" played by Suzanne Lee; a piano solo, "Prelude in a Major."

## Bar to Look Into Jury's Dismissal

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Two Arkansas bar associations groups are to meet tomorrow to discuss the surprise dismissal of the Pulaski County Grand Jury last week.

The jury was dismissed by Circuit Judge Harry C. Robinson who charged that a fund of between \$5,000 and \$8,000 had been collected to "assist the jury in its investigation." The body had been investigating allegations of "waste and extravagance" in the State Highway Department.

The president of the Arkansas Bar Association, A. F. Triplett of Pine Bluff, says a meeting of the group's executive committee will be held here tomorrow at 10 a.m. because "this occasion (the jury's dismissal) just doesn't sit well."

Chapman Jacobson of Little Rock, president of the Pulaski County Bar Association, said his group will meet tomorrow to consider "various matters" in connection with the dismissal.

The members of the Grand Jury have issued a statement that no such fund had been raised "in the name of or by the sanction of the jury."

Judge Robinson, an appointee of former Gov. McMath, has said that he couldn't see how such a fund could be used legally.

The jury was investigating Highway Audit Commission charges of "waste and extravagance" in the highway department under former Gov. McMath.

Judge Robinson has been invited to attend the Pulaski County Bar Association meeting.

## Second Jury to Try Preacher

SYRACUSE, N. Y. (UP)—Agreement on a second alternate completed jury selection for the third murder trial of the Rev. George P. Hefenly today and the prosecutor began his opening statement.

It was expected actual testimony might get under way late today. Opposing attorneys spent nine court

by Jessica Bemis; a vocal solo, "Beautiful Dreamer" by Marion Buchanan and Virginia Clare Curce; Jane Klehen played a piano solo, "Indian Serenade"; Nancy Lewis played "Ballad," Dolores Escare sang "I Love Life;" A piano solo, "Guttrader Dream Waltz" by Jane Hines; "The Rustic Dance" by Frances O'Rourke; "The Robins Return" by Betty Rawlins; Rita Warren and Margie Clark sang a duet arrangement of "With a Song in my Heart," accompanied by Judy Gilbert; A piano duet, "Tea For Two" by Mary Yancey and Virginia Ann Hays; Amelia Harrell accompanied by Julia Smith sang, "To A Hilltop;" A piano solo, "Po Spring" by Genevieve King; "Sol-fegletto" played by Judy Gilbert; and Betty Danner closed the program by singing "By the Bend of the River." She was accompanied by Genevieve King.

Tea and white individual cakes topped with hearts were served from the dining table covered with an embroidered cloth and centered with an arrangement of jonquils. These present included Coterie members, the Jr. Music club and their mothers.

Mrs. Glenn Halston Hostess to '47 Club

Mrs. Glenn Halston was hostess to the 47 Bridge Club at her home on Wednesday afternoon that was beautifully decorated with a profusion of jonquils.

Mrs. B. A. DeLamar received the high score prize, Mrs. J. T. Worthington the game prize and Mrs. O. W. Watkins the low score prize.

Mrs. George Christopher and Mrs. Tom Gary were guests. Other members present included Mrs. B. A. Warren, Mrs. Charlie Scott, Mrs. Jim Nelson, Mrs. C. R. Gray, Mrs. E. R. Ward, Mrs. R. F. Yarbrough and Mrs. Edward Bryson.

The hostess served a dainty desert course.

Mrs. J. W. Bradley Entertains Christian Ladies  
Ten ladies of the First Christian Church met on Thursday morning at ten o'clock in the home of Mrs. J. W. Bradley for a covered dish luncheon and to sew on articles for the annual bazaar.

Rev. Clarence Johnson was present for the luncheon and gave the invocation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parker motored to Little Rock Wednesday for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith were Wednesday visitors in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Martin have returned from a visit in Macon, Miss., where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Murry of El Dorado where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dows and daughter, Margaret, spent Wednesday in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris and little daughter of Dallas have been the guests of relatives.

Friends of Mrs. C. F. Pittman will regret that she is seriously ill following major surgery at the Cora Donnell Hospital.

Friends of Mr. Frank Turberville will be pleased to know that he has recovered sufficiently from an illness at St. Michael's Hospital, Texarkana, to return to his

## Legislative Battles Are Visioned

By LEON HATCH

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—The General Assembly goes back to work this afternoon but the first of the week's foreseeable battles probably

days selecting the jury.

Eleven men and one woman will hear the case, with one man and one woman as alternates.

The 43-year-old former Episcopal supply minister from Amherst, N. Y., is charged with the 1949 slaying of his wife, Jean. Two previous convictions by juries at Rochester were reversed by higher courts, and the defense won a change of venue for the third trial.

won't take place until tomorrow. Tuesday is a House day in the Senate, and a Senate day in the House. Which means that the bills already passed in the other chamber have precedence in each branch.

Under customary procedure, the Senate probably will get to the House bill to require pre-marital blood tests for syphilis, and the House likely will take up, on reconsideration, the once-passed bill to regulate installment buying.

The pre-marital test bill—objected to by certain religious groups which consider the required physical examination contrary to their beliefs—could become an explosive issue.

The installment buying bill already has become the center of a sometimes bitter controversy between its advocates who say it's necessary to allow an "on time" seller a fair profit, and its detractors who say it's a "loan shark" measure designed to let the seller

evade prohibitions against usury. The House passed the bill last Tuesday after a stormy session. By Wednesday opponents had organized a movement to try to rescind the action and kill the bill. They mustered enough votes on Thursday to request the bills return from the Senate, which it had been sent as its house of origin.

Friday the Senate agreed to return the bill over the bitter objection of Sen. Morrell Gathright of Pine Bluff, who delivered the first criticism of Gov. Cherry heard on the floor of either house.

Cherry, Gathright charged, was behind the recall movement because he didn't want the responsibility of having to sign or veto the bill.

The Senate set its re-convening time today at 1 p.m.; the House fixed its for 2.

The blood line of every thoroughbred horse can be traced to three horses imported into England in the 18th Century.

In England, the practice of holding "wakes" over a dead body seems to be older than Christianity and in pre-Christian times was designed to guard the body against evil spirits.

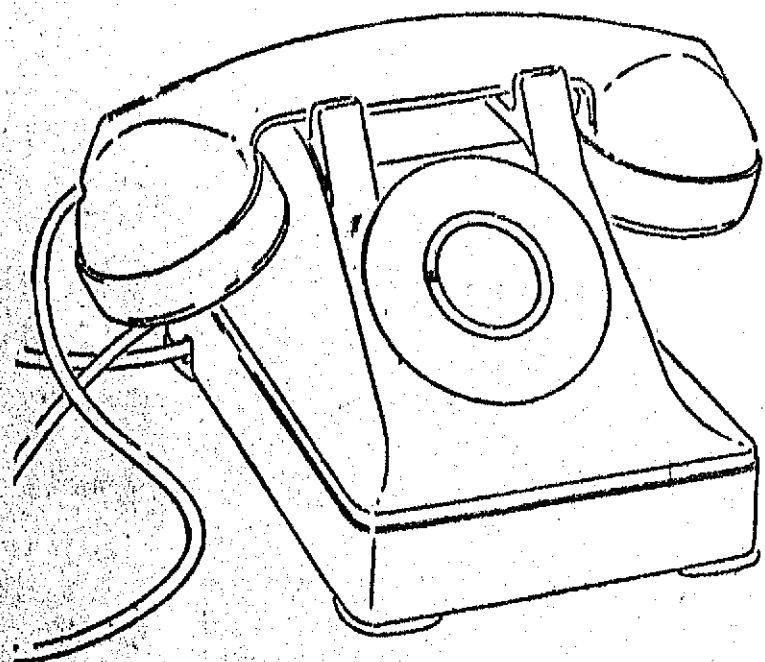
## Free Book on Arthritis And Rheumatism

How to Avoid Gripping Deformities

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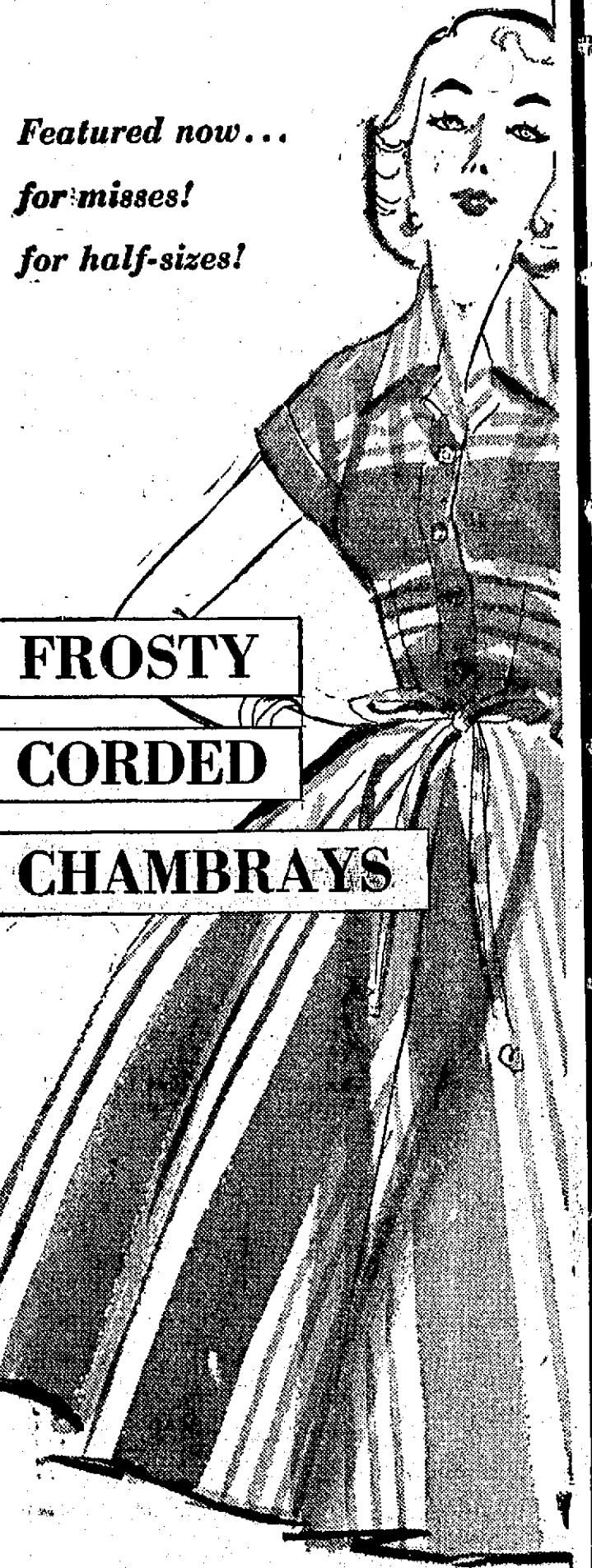
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